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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Application No.: Unknown
Filing Date: Herewith
Applicant: Daniel Bone et al.
Group Art Unit: 3724
Examiner: Clark F. Dexter
Title: CLAMPING MECHANISM (AS AMENDED)
Attorney Docket: 0275S-0327DVA

Hon. Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks
Washington, D.C. 20231

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Dear Sir:

Preliminary to the calculation of the filing fees and examination of the above-identified application on its merits, please amend the application as follows:

IN THE TITLE

Please amend the title of the present application to read as follows:

"CLAMPING MECHANISM"

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